

## AGENDA

### Columbia Basin Collaborative (CBC) Estuary and Tributary Habitat Work Group

**Date and Time:**

September 20, 9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Hosted on [Zoom](#)

**Desired Outcomes:**

- Shared understanding of the assignment from the Integration/Recommendation Group and information available from the Columbia Basin Partnership Task Force.
- Assessment of existing forums, key expertise, and gaps for estuary and tributary habitats.
- Agreement on next steps for the work group.

Time(PT)	Topic	Who	Notes
15 min	<b>Welcome, Agenda Review, Updates, and Introductions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Amira Streeter, Kearns &amp; West</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Amira leads introductions, reviews agenda, and discusses ground rules</li></ul>
15 min	<b>Overview and Context</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Role and responsibility</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Patty Dornbusch, NOAA</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Provide high level overview of CBC</li><li>• Share sequential steps table and purpose of WG</li></ul>
10 min	<b>Columbia Basin Partnership Data</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Patty Dornbusch, NOAA</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Share matrices and other data from CBPTF</li></ul>
35 min	<b>Estuary Habitat Discussion of Resources and Gaps</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Existing efforts and funding</li><li>• Key expertise</li><li>• Gaps in expertise or efforts</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Amira Streeter, Kearns &amp; West</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lead on-screen activity to identify existing efforts and funding opportunities</li><li>• Identify key expertise that the WG should coordinate with.</li><li>• Identify gaps in membership (if any) and in the understanding of estuary habitat issues</li></ul>

10 min	BREAK		
55 min	<b>Tributary Habitat Discussion of Resources and Gaps</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Existing efforts by regional and local groups</li> <li>Available funding streams and opportunities</li> <li>Key expertise</li> <li>Gaps in expertise or efforts</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Amira Streeter, Kearns &amp; West</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Lead on-screen activity to identify existing efforts and key expertise that the WG should coordinate with.</li> <li>Identify gaps in membership (if any) and in the understanding of tributary habitat</li> </ul>
25 min	<b>Work Plan and Next Steps</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Amira Streeter, Kearns &amp; West</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discuss structure of the group</li> <li>Share draft work plan for feedback</li> </ul>
10 min	<b>Confirm Next Steps, Upcoming Meeting Topics, and Summary</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Amira Streeter, Kearns &amp; West</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Amira confirms next steps and recaps action items.</li> </ul>